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LB 902, 902 A

SENATOR KOCH: The question is though, Senator Duis, could the Tax Commissioner not bill the City of Omaha for those expenses incurred for the purpose of administration of 902 without the brokerage fee?

SENATOR DUIS: I understand not because I understand that... and I talked to him quite hurriedly because I wanted an answer to that same question but a statute was passed during a controversy here not too long back that required the 3% to go to the general fund so therefore he can't bill them direct.

SENATOR KOCH: Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman, I would like to have some assistance from Senator DeCamp on interpreting this... Who asked for this A bill?

PRESIDENT: Excuse me, Senator Chambers. There are other lights on so you're not closing?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: No, I'm not.

PRESIDENT: Okay.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I'm just asking some questions so that we can have in clear focus what we're talking about on the A bill. Senator DeCamp, there's only one page to this A bill so when we look at the first three lines, "There is hereby appropriated \$25,000 from general fund for the period ending June 30, 1978." That is this year, so when is 902 anticipated to be in action? When is it anticipated that there will be expenses developing because of the passage of 902? Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DE CAMP: I'm sure the people that prepared the fiscal impact have the information on this.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Who would that be?

SENATOR DE CAMP: Mr. Peters.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: When do you think 902 will take effect? When is Omaha shooting for? What is their target date? Is it July 1st? Is that what they keep telling us?

SENATOR DE CAMP: Whatever the date in the bill is. I think that's what they're shooting for, isn't it? 1 July...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, roughly, of 1978, is that correct?

SENATOR DE CAMP: That's my understanding.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Labeledz, could you help me a little more?

SENATOR LABEDZ: Yes, that's correct. July 1st, 1978.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: All right then, Senator Labeledz, what is going to happen before June 30 that requires the expenditure of \$25,000?

SENATOR LABEDZ: From what I understand it's for the printing and the forms have to be changed and everybody has to be notified because there will be business outside of the Omaha